Prof. Bickmore works to end health disparities with computer counseling

The researchers behind the Online Gabby System are working to address health disparities that lead to high infant mortality and low infant birth weight in African American families. Timothy Bickmore, an associate professor in CCIS, is now working with Boston Medical Center to develop Gabe, a male version aimed at mitigating risk factors for African American men. He’s been working with the Gabby project for seven years, and The Online Gabe System: Promoting Health in Young Black Men is an outgrowth of that work.

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TCB Analytics: All about the data

There’s a lot of data out there. And that data is often easier to collect than it is to sift through, organize and analyze. That’s where Tanya Cashorali and TCB Analytics come in. The 2008 Northeastern grad just left her job to launch her own consulting company to help various companies and institutions understand the data they collect. In addition to tackling entrepreneurship, Tanya is also making her way back to campus, not as a student, but as an advisor and lead curriculum designer at Level Education.

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CCIS perks include conferences and more!

What are some of the perks of working at CCIS? For one, the opportunity to attend highly specialized conferences, with expenses covered by alumni and the college. CCIS students Eddie Hurtig, Jonah Min and Liam Hughes and College of Engineering student Matan Kaminski all attended the LISA conference - Large Installation System Administration - in Washington, D.C., as a result of their employment at the CCIS Systems Administration Lab. The students attended talks and participated in challenges, all built around systems administration.

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